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Applicants: Nnochiri N. Ekwuribe, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Post Office Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 7, 2005 (the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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